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- 1. A counterpoise signage system including
- (a) an A-frame sign having a selected weight and including a pair of folding legs each having a foot, said legs movable between
  - (i) a first operative folded closed position, and
  - (ii) a second operative unfolded open position in which said feet of said legs define a footprint; and,
- (b) a ground engage support including
  - (i) a first end,
- 10 (ii) a second end, and,
  - (iii) an interdigitation structure intermediate said first and second ends for removably attaching said support to said feet such that when a force acting on said sign causes one of said ends to lift away from the ground, the other of said ends functions as a fulcrum and the weight of said sign acts to force said one end toward the ground.
  - 2. A signage system including
  - (a) an A-frame sign having a selected weight and including a pair of legs each having a foot spaced apart from the foot on the other leg; and,
- 20 (b) a ground engaging support including
  - (i) a first end,
  - (ii) a second end, and,

a foot actuated structure for removably attaching said support to at least (iii) one of said feet. A constricting signage system including an A-frame sign having a selected weight and including a pair of folding legs each having a foot, said legs movable between a first operative folded closed position, and a second operative unfolded open position in which said feet of said legs define a footprint; and, a ground engaging support including (i) a first end, a second end, and, (ii) a system intermediate said first and second ends to engage said feet (iii) when said folding legs are in said second operative position to constrict movement of said legs from said second operative position to said first operative position. A signage system including an A-frame sign having a selected weight and including a pair of folding legs each having a foot, said legs movable between (i) a first operative folded closed position, and (ii) a second operative unfolded open position in which said feet of said legs

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define a footprint; and,

- (b) a ground engaging support including
  - (i) a first end,
  - (ii) a second end, and,
  - (iii) a system intermediate said first and second ends to engage said feet when said folding legs are in said second operative position to constrict lateral movement of said feet in said support.
- 5. A signage system including
- (a) an A-frame sign having a selected weight and including a pair of folding legseach having a foot, said legs movable between
  - (i) a first operative folded closed position, and
  - (ii) a second operative unfolded open position in which said feet of said legs define a footprint; and,
- (b) a ground engaging support including
  - (i) a first end,
- 15 (ii) a second end, and,
  - (iii) a system intermediate said first and second ends to engage said feet when said folding legs are in said second operative position, said system being shaped and dimensioned to engage a plurality of feet each having a different shape and dimension.

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